

News *fire information*

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Wildfire Fact Sheet- Reserve

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(Use hashtag #ReserveFire)

Summary: Firefighters are working to meet full containment objectives today. The fire remains at 3,067 acres and will be 100 percent contained by 8p.m. tonight. Some resources assigned are being released to their home units. Two hand crews and two fire engines will remain on scene after today. No fire growth occurred today. This is the final update unless significant changes occur.

Start Date: Monday, August 13, 2012 at 11:00 p.m.

Location: Located north of St. George, near the Mesa Rim Trail in Washington County, Utah

Jurisdiction: Bureau of Land Management: Color Country District and US Forest Service: Pine Valley Ranger District, and State of Utah: Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands.

Fire Size: Approximately 3,067 acres. (Note: one acre is equivalent to one football field).

Cause: Lightning.

Fire Behavior: Fire behavior is minimal, isolated hot spots are currently being extinguished.

Closures: Mesa Rim and Black Gulch Trails are closed.

Structures: No structures are currently threatened.

Percent Contained: 100%

Fuels: Pinyon and Juniper, Cheatgrass and Brush.

Fire Crews/Resources: 2 Fire Engines, 2 Hand Crews, and Various Overhead. Approximately 53 personnel are currently assigned to the fire.

Evacuations: No evacuations are currently in effect.

Injuries: No injuries have been reported.

For more information on fires in Utah visit www.utahfireinfo.gov.
For more information on fires across the country, visit www.incweb.org.

